

**Please revoke the amendment to the Specification made in the applicants' amendment of 1 July 2004, and amend paragraphs [0001] and [0061] of the Specification as follows:**

[0001] This application is related to U.S. patent application Serial No. 09/725,732, entitled "Distributed Caching Architecture For Computer Networks," (Attorney Docket "500-001us") filed on 29 November 2000, which is incorporated by reference.

[0061] At step 604, the *Parental Node* uses the resource identifier as an index into cache 503 to determine if the resource is contained in the *Parental Node's* cache. Alternatively, as taught in applicants' co-pending U.S. patent application Serial No. 09/725,732, entitled "Distributed Caching Architecture For Computer Networks," the *Parental Node* can use a hashed function of the resource identifier as the index into cache 503. In either case, if the requested resource is in cache 503 (*i.e.*, a cache hit), then control passes to step 610; otherwise (*i.e.*, a cache "miss") control passes to step 605.